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In re Applicat	tion of:)			
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Serial No.:	08/419,719)		<i>*</i> *	
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231					

Sir:

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37 C.F.R. 1.8

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant hereby cites the prior art listed in accompanying Form PTO-1449 with respect to the above-referenced patent application under the provisions of 37 C.F.R., Sections 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98. Copies of the documents are attached.

The filing of this Information Disclosure Statement will not be construed to mean that a search was conducted or that no other material information, as defined by 37 C.F.R.

1.56, exists.

300 SD 11/19/96 08419719 1 126 230.00 CK Submitted herewith are a Deposition of Randall C. Arnold, a co-inventor in this

application, and 4 of 5 exhibits that are cited in the Deposition.

The Examiner is urged to consider the entire deposition; however, the applicants

respectfully draw the Examiner's attention to Pages 31 and 32, where reference is made

to the annual meeting of the American Society of Anesthesiologists that was held in New

Orleans in September, 1989.

Reference is also made to pages 37-40 where Exhibits 1,2, and 3 are explained and

a "lower body OR surgical blanket" is mentioned.

Reference is also made to pages 101-104 where certain features of the lower body

OR surgical blanket are discussed.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to make the listed documents of record in

connection with the prosecution of the subjection application.

Respectfully submitted,

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